

EAST BURKE.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dee observe Tenth Wedding Anniversary—

Locals.

(Mrs. B. P. Humphrey, Cor.) About 60 of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dee met at their home last Tuesday evening to remind them of their 10th wedding anniversary. A very pleasant evening was spent. Refreshments were served. All left for their homes wishing them many more years of happy married life.

J. C. Lucia is having his house wired for electric lights this week. R. A. Eggleston has been quite sick for a few days, but is out again at this writing.

Solon Walter has bought a place in St. Johnsbury Center and will move there soon.

Gladys Walter has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Merle Heath, in Montpelier.

Miss Eunice Rice teaches school at Mt. Hunger and boards with Mrs. James Cass.

George Counter has returned from the hospital in Maine, and is stopping with his brother, Frank.

Mrs. Goehrs is in very poor health and confined to her bed a part of the time.

Ed Harris hasn't been nearly as well the past week.

Mrs. M. L. Smith returned to her home in Lyndonville Sunday after spending a week here with relatives.

J. C. Lucia has bought the house near Woodmont cemetery formerly occupied by G. P. Lovely, and will move it on his land and build it over into a barn.

Mrs. Mary Belden is painting her buildings.

At the next Grange meeting, Tuesday evening, Oct. 10, Chaplain M. W. Farman, a totally blind man, will give an exhibition and lecture. His subject is "Light and Darkness."

C. E. Preeto was home from St. Johnsbury over Sunday.

About 35 of the Ladies' Aid took dinner at M. H. Gilson's Wednesday. Quite a few from here attended the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGill in Kirby Friday night.

Miss Hattie Burpee from Manchester, N. H., visited old friends here Friday and Saturday.

R. A. Eggleston is in Canaan Center, N. H., helping his son in the store.

Mr. Eggleston is very sick with rheumatism.

W. H. Jeffrey is in Philadelphia this week on a business trip.

The State Council of Vermont Jr. O. U. A. M. will be held at East Burke October 12, with General Sheridan Council, at Algonquin hall, over by the Council.

Councilor, Hon. C. B. Webb of St. Johnsbury, N. H., and the National Vice Councilor, Judge John H. Noyes of Plattsburgh, N. H., will be at this session.

J. D. Lawton was reported better at this writing. His son, Major Frank Lawton, and wife returned to Plattsburgh, N. Y., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Allard and three children are visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wheeler, in St. Johnsbury Center.

Mrs. Dale Walter and daughter, Florence, spent Friday and Saturday at Lyndon with her sister, Mrs. Amos Bourlousse.

Little Ruth Farmer is well again from her illness.

Rev. E. W. Sturtevant was called to Boston Thursday by the death of a relative.

Chester Grady and friend from Lawrence, Mass., have been spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Harry Mathers.

Dale Walter and Willie Bailey were home from their work at Newport over Sunday.

Frank Davis from St. Johnsbury was a visitor in town Sunday.

Mrs. May Gilson of Lyndonville visited Mrs. George Phillips Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Miles of Sheffield were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hough.

J. D. Lawton is very ylow at this writing.

Center, N. H., Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Eggleston.

Mrs. Abbie Colby will go soon to West Burke to live this winter with her son, S. L. Brigham.

Harry Winslow is visiting friends and relatives in town.

Chester Grady from Boston is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Harry Mathers.

Harvey Horner will move onto the Eli Eastman farm in Pinkham owned by the Darlings as soon as Mr. Eastman gets moved to his home recently purchased at Mt. Hunger.

Union services Sunday evening in the Congregational church, Rev. I. A. Roper, speaker. Topic, "Get Busy."

There will be a change in the time of meeting of our Junior C. E. society which will be held Sunday afternoons 4 to 5 o'clock. Consequently the Junior Endeavor will not be held Thursday evening.

Academy Notes.

Ora Bailey, St. A. '15, enrolled Monday as a post graduate.

Miss Hazel Ayer of Passumpsic is also a new student enrolling yesterday.

Miss Olga McClary of New York City has entered the academy and will reside at Fairbanks cottage.

The advisory board of the football team met at 3.10 Monday, after which the football men convened in Room 8 until 4 o'clock. The Spalding game served as a preliminary discussion to the skull practice.

The team held a sharp practice at 4 o'clock on the green. The next game is to be with Montpelier Seminary at Montpelier, Saturday, and the reaction caused by the last game is sure to be very much in evidence.

At a meeting of the senior class Wednesday morning Stanton Harris was elected president. The election for secretary and treasurer resulted in the choice of Norman Bralcy.

George B. Knapp of Auburndale, Mass., a student of St. Johnsbury Academy in 1893, was a caller at the school Wednesday. Mr. Knapp was accompanied by his niece, Miss Catherine Knapp. Miss Cornelia Fairbanks was also a caller during chapel.

A football game has been scheduled with Montpelier Seminary at Montpelier for Saturday, October 7.

The football practice Wednesday night was featured by a scrimmage between the regulars and the second team. The second team was so good on defense that the gains of the regulars did not reach over five yards.

Jamieson made a fine run for the regulars after intercepting a pass. MacDonald made several good tackles for the scrubs. Several freshmen demonstrated the fact that they are not to be left out of the reckoning in picking the big material.

The lineup was as follows: Regulars, Gibson, C. P. Farnum, fb, Ellis, rb; Ricker, lb; Paine, lg; Parker, rg; Capt. Lougee, lt; Hunter, rt; Marshall-D. Farnum, re; Lanpher, lc; Jamieson, qb. Second team, Waterman, c; Branch, qb; Blaisdell, lg; Lowe, rg; Campbell, lg; Wright, rt; Hinman, lt; Bralcy, re; Lougee, rb; MacDonald, lb; Harris, qb.

The school chorus begins work Monday morning. Forty-four are now taking vocal lessons under Miss Brownell and the classes are fully organized.

The orchestra has been organized under Miss Viola Pike.

St. Johnsbury Academy opened its 1916 football season with Spaulding last Saturday. The game ended with the score 33 to 0 in favor of Spaulding, due to the general superiority of its team over that of St. J. A. This superiority may be partly explained by the fact that Spaulding's team is practically all veterans and has played one game before this season. This opening game was conceded to be the hardest of the season and the defeat can hardly be considered a crushing one. The local team is expected to be bolstered by the addition of two or three new candidates this week and with the shifts which are sure to follow a much different result is expected in the next clash of the two teams, which will be on St. Johnsbury's grounds.

Change of Time

A general change in time went into effect on the schedule of the Boston & Maine and St. Johnsbury and Lake Champlain railroads at 12.01 a. m., Sunday, October 1, 1916.

There are no changes on the St. Johnsbury and Lake Champlain road in trains leaving for Swanton and Burlington at 6.30 a. m., and 3.48 p. m., daily except Sunday.

On the Boston & Maine railroad the night mail and the "airline," both north and south will remain the same, leaving for Boston and New York at 1.38 a. m., and 1.15 a. m., respectively, and for Montreal at 3 a. m., and for Quebec at 3.40 a. m.

The morning mail south with connections for Boston and New York leaves at 8.35 a. m., instead of 8.27 as formerly. There is no change in the local north at 10.40 a. m., or the New York express at 11.37 a. m. The day "air line," will remain the same, southbound at 2.50 p. m., and northbound at 3.42 p. m.

The local south has been changed to leave at 5.34, 11 minutes later than now. The mail train north at 4.37 p. m., will go through to Sherbrooke instead of the New York train which will leave at 7.25 p. m., and stop at Newport.

As in previous years the Maine Central will run only one through train to Portland daily, except Sunday, at 3 p. m., the train arriving from Portland at 2.16 p. m. A mixed train leaves for Lunenburg at 10 a. m., and another mixed train leaves for Lancaster, N. H. at 4.40.

Advertised Letters.

Letters advertised for the week ending September 30: Ladies, Mrs. Emma L. Aiken, Mrs. Charles Gauthier, Miss Mary MacDonald; gentlemen, Chas. Devinger, Robert K. Edgerton, Raymond Merrill, Charles Phillips, Clarence Thayer.

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NOVEL ENTERTAINMENT

Barn Dance at Pythian Hall Arranged By Carlyle Sargent.

One of the most novel entertainments of the year took place in the form of a barn dance held at Pythian hall Friday night. The arrangements and decorating which were made by Carlyle Sargent, carried out the idea to its fullest effectiveness. All the "hired men" and the "milkmaids" were there from miles around, and even the barn cat was present and failed to be frightened from her usual haunts. The old hushing table was in much demand as a desirable seat holding just the right number of swains and lassies, and the saw horse holding its keg of new cider and the barrel of apples tipped over in the corner were present as in the days of the real barn "shake-downs," following a husking. Boxes and barrels covered with hay made a near approach to the usual medley about in the corners of the barn floor. The corn shocks piled in the corners, with other evidences of the harvest time, and the beddimed lights with colored shades of paper made the scene one of pastoral attractiveness.

About 55 couples were present, and the appreciation of the informal affair was evidenced in the manner in which all joined in for a good time. Music was furnished by Sargent's orchestra.

W. B. M. OFFICERS.

Mrs. Henry Fairbanks One of the Honorary Presidents.

The 44th annual meeting for Vermont Branch of the Woman's Board of Missions was closed at Woodstock Wednesday. Most of the old board of officers was retained, the election resulting as follows:

President, Mrs. M. H. Buckham of Burlington; honorary presidents, Mrs. G. G. Benedict of Burlington, Mrs. Henry Fairbanks of St. Johnsbury; first vice president, Mrs. George S. Mills of Bennington; recording secretary, Mrs. Edward Kirkland of Bellows Falls; home secretary, Mrs. E. P. Crane of Brattleboro; foreign secretary, Miss Katherine F. Worcester of Burlington; secretary of young people's work, Miss Florence M. Hemingway Wells of Brattleboro; treasurer, Miss May E. Manley of Pittsford; assistant treasurer, Miss Alfa Chalmers of Rutland. Mrs. John W. Ross of Rutland is vice president for Rutland county.

The treasurer reported that \$5,017 has been sent by church, societies and contributing societies for the pledged work of the branch, over \$200 more than last year. This is encouraging considering the fact that auxiliaries have also raised about \$200 for a golden anniversary gift. The total sent this year for this gift is \$763.

W. C. T. U. Meets

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union met with Mrs. Clara Peterson, Tuesday. The usual devotional service was held and the "Declaration of Principles" of the W. C. T. U. was read by Mrs. T. P. Farrell. Reports were read by the corresponding secretary and the treasurer, delegates to the state convention elected, and other business done.

Arrangements were made to secure, if possible, the services of Miss Mary Willard Anderson, national secretary of the Young People's Branch of the W. C. T. U., to speak to the young people of St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. Anna Tillinghast and Miss Anderson are to be the speakers at the state W. C. T. U. convention to be held in Barre, October 10, 11 and 12.

Lineman Young Injures Back.

William Young received injuries to his back, Thursday afternoon, when he fell to the ground after accidentally cutting the body belt which held him in a tree from which he was cutting limbs. He is employed as lineman for the Passumpsic Telephone Co.

Dr. W. B. Fitch attended him and he was taken to Brightlook hospital. The accident occurred near East Barre where Mr. Young was helping to string wires. He was cutting limbs from a tree, and was about 15 feet from the ground. The body belt was passed around the trunk of the tree and it was when his axe cut this support that he was unable to save himself, and fell. He struck squarely upon his back. Although the injuries were not thought to be very serious, he was badly bruised and will probably be laid up a week or ten days.

THEIR SILVER WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Eastman celebrate the Occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Eastman Thursday observed the 25th anniversary of their marriage. Owing to the illness of Mr. Eastman's mother, the celebration was not as elaborate as it otherwise might have been.

Many friends called during the day to express their congratulations to the couple, who have passed a quarter-century of wedded bliss. They were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts.

Among the features of the anniversary was the serving of some of the original wedding cake and the statements as to its character were the same as 25 years ago, when it was pronounced to be exceedingly good.

ALFAFA WEEVIL IN VERMONT

Has Been Discovered on Farm of Wright Fay of Jericho.

Burlington, Sept. 29.—J. W. Dana, county agricultural agent, has located the alfalfa weevil on the farm of Wright Fay of Jericho. This is the first time the weevil has been discovered east of Indiana, and as there are 2,000 acres of alfalfa in Vermont it is feared that the pest will extend its operations.

NO MORE BACKACHE FOR HER.

Mrs. J. M. Gaskill, Etna Green, Ind., writes: "I suffered from severe backache, and sharp pains in my legs, and my back until I could not stoop over and get up without aid. Urinary trouble seemed to be the cause of it all. A single box of Foley Kidney Pills gave me such relief that I cannot praise them too highly. This standard remedy for kidney and bladder ailments can be taken with safety for backache, swollen ankles and rheumatic pains.—CHAS. A. SEARLES & CO.

VERMONT HAS BIGGEST CROP

Relatively Largest Apple Yield of New England or New York.

The yield of apples in Vermont for 1916 will amount to a greater percentage of a full crop than that of any other New England state or New York. The crop will also probably represent a bigger increase over last year's crop than any of the other states. The estimates now put forth are on the authority of V. A. Sanders, field agent of the United States bureau of crop estimates, and are the latest obtainable. The figures have come into possession of the agricultural extension department at the State University through A. W. Sweeton, county agricultural agent of Windham county, who sent them in along with his own report on county conditions to Jay Coryell, assistant county agent leader.

A full crop, says Mr. Coryell, means more than an average crop. It doesn't mean a bumper crop exactly, that is a crop greater than ever before or in any one of many years. Old-time apple growers can judge quite precisely what it does mean by looking at the percentage, which is 82. This year as against around 45 last. The yield has been variously estimated at from 10 to 15 per cent more than normal.

Here are the figures of the other neighboring states during the two years:

In Other States.

New Hampshire 1915 .47 .68

Maine 1915 .27 .60

Massachusetts 1915 .59 .73

Connecticut 1915 .62 .67

Rhode Island 1915 .43 .65

New York 1915 .43 .62

Vermont's heavy crop comes at a very opportune time, as the field agent indicates. The crop in the middle and western states, he says, is light, and the crop of the country as a whole is considerably below that of 1915. The respective figures for the two years are: 1915, 76,670,000 barrels; 1916, 67,670,000 barrels. The chief factor against the decrease of the supply and probable increase of demand is that the export trade will be practically cut off because of the lack of bottoms to carry the fruit.

In Vermont, however, as the report of Field Agent Sander along with that of A. W. Sweeton, county agent of Windham, says that is a good deal of prosperity, and the New England market, generally will also be excellent.

Mr. Sweeton says regarding conditions in Windham county: "As to local conditions it seems as though

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Assets		Liabilities	
Bills Receivable.....	\$2,733,270.79	Capital—full paid.....	\$ 50,000.00
Stocks and Bonds.....	998,975.00	Accumulated Earnings.....	250,000.00
Cash and Sight Exchange.....	397,147.73	Interest Reserved.....	22,150.06
	\$4,129,393.52	Interest and Discount.....	24,866.34
		Due Depositors.....	3,681,650.13
		Bills Payable.....	80,600.00
		Profit and Loss.....	20,126.99
			\$4,129,393.52

In the list of notes and securities comprising the assets of the corporation there is not one of doubtful value.

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the apple crop would be considerably larger than last year. The scab is rather more prevalent, particularly on McIntosh, and Baldwins are rather more spotted than usual. As a rule the crop and quality are quite good. Eastern buyers seem to be holding off."

Prices, under these conditions, would be good. In Windham most kinds and grades of apples down to 2½ inches in diameter are selling at from \$2.00 to \$2.25 a barrel. Wealthies, between September 20 and 25, were bringing about \$3 a barrel. Windham is one of the leading apple-producing sections of the state next to Isle La Motte, "South Hero, Grand Isle, etc. Apples in the north end of the state are remarkably free of scab and other blights. The crop on Isle La Motte alone ought to total 18,000 barrels or more.

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TO HANDLE VT. MILK.

Milk Producers Agree to Sell Through Frank Northrop of Ludlow, After Secret Meeting.

Bellows Falls, Sept. 28.—One of the largest meetings of milk producers ever held in this section of the state met here yesterday to discuss the milk situation. Between 60 and 75 producers were present in the meeting in the Hotel Windham. The meeting was strictly confined to producers and efforts of two representatives of Boston milk concerns to enter were unsuccessful. Press representatives were also barred.

After the meeting Frank Northrop of Ludlow said that beginning October 1, all the milk produced by the members of the Vermont Dairymen's association would be sold through him, as the organization's representative.

active. The organization of the association has not been completed but it will have branches in every section of each of the New England states and will work in co-operation with the New England Milk Producers' association. Mr. Northrop did not know how much the local producers would receive for their milk after October 1, but he said that he would demand at least 50 cents for an eight and a half quart can, delivered on the platform at Boston. This means that the members of the association, doing business through him, will pay for their milk shipments and the nearer Boston they are the more money they will receive. He estimated that producers loading milk at Bellows Falls would receive, at the rate of 50 cents a can, five cents and a fraction for each quart of milk.

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